

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Lee W. ATKINSON et al.	§	Confirmation No.:	1470
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Serial No.:	10/734,938	§	Group Art Unit:	2121
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Filed:	12/12/2003	§	Examiner:	Thomas K. Pham
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For:	System And Method For	§	Docket No.:	200300687-1
	Power Management When	§		
	An Operating Voltage Is	§		
	Between Two Thresholds	§		

**RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S
STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Date: May 16, 2008

Dear Sir:

In the Notice of Allowance dated March 17, 2008, the Examiner quoted various limitations from independent claim 1 and indicated that claims 12, 16 and 18 have similar limitations. See Reasons for Allowance. However, Applicants note that each of independent claims 12, 14, and 16 does not necessarily have all of the same limitations as claim 1. Also, in quoting the limitations from claim 1, the Examiner identified various paragraphs from Applicants' specification as supporting such limitations. Applicants note that the quoted limitations may also find support elsewhere in the specification, not just in the locations specified by the Examiner.

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If the Examiner disagrees, he is invited to contact the undersigned to discuss.

Respectfully submitted,

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